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Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program October 01, 2010

Reviewed: 

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| Mine Name: Fox Canyon | Permit Number: S/049/0080 |
| Operator Name: Beck & Beck Construction Company | Inspection Date: 09/01/2010 |
| Inspector(s): Brett Gregory for Lynn Kunzler  | Time: 11:30 am |
| Other Participants: Peter Brinton | Mine Status: Proposed |

| Elements of Inspection | Evaluated | Comment | Enforcement |
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| 1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Deleterious Material | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Concurrent Reclamation | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Water Impoundments | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Soils | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 10. Revegetation | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 11. Air Quality | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 12. Other | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Permit fee: N/A

Bond Amount: \$0

Purpose of Inspection:

The Division was informed by someone in the community that this particular construction company may not have a valid mining permit to conduct mining activities in the area.

Inspection Summary:

The Division staff had stopped by this operation on two earlier occasions to inform representatives of the company that mining permits are required whenever hard-rock is encountered. The company president, Dana Beck, spoke with us a little during this particular visit about our permitting process and his ongoing operation in preparation for a condominium construction complex. The conversation ended when Mr. Beck stated he would come into the office and file for a permit along with posting a reclamation surety for surface area already mined.

Inspection Comments:

1. The Division has not received a reclamation surety from the operator necessary to operate in consolidated rock.
3. Erosion controls may need to be installed for long term stability of the hillside.
9. Some of the topsoil should be retained for reclamation purposes in the event condominiums are not able to be built.



Conclusions and Recommendations:

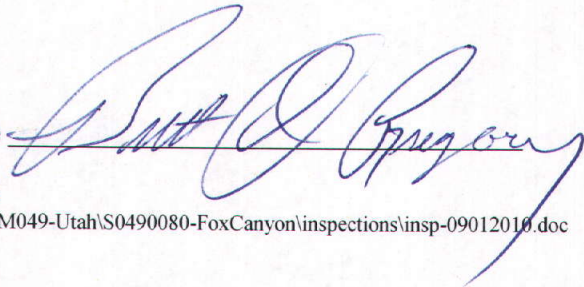
The operator needs to post a reclamation surety and sign a reclamation contract with the Division. The amount of surety posted should be representative of the size of operation, and maintained in such a way that maps can regularly be updated for working areas at the site. The operator should also make a concerted effort to maintain a current mining Notice of Intent (NOI) until such time the Division determines the mining is complete.

Inspector's Signature

BG: lk, pbb, eb

cc: dana@beckbeckutah.com

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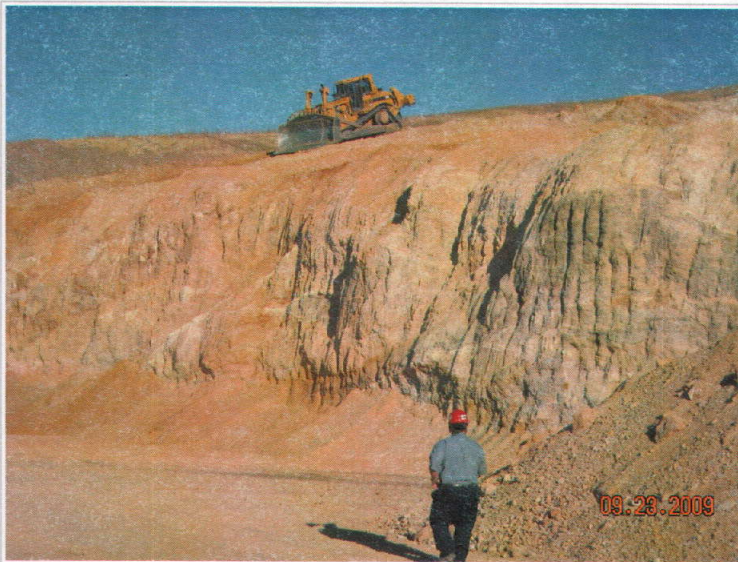
A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dana Beck Beck Utah", written over a horizontal line.



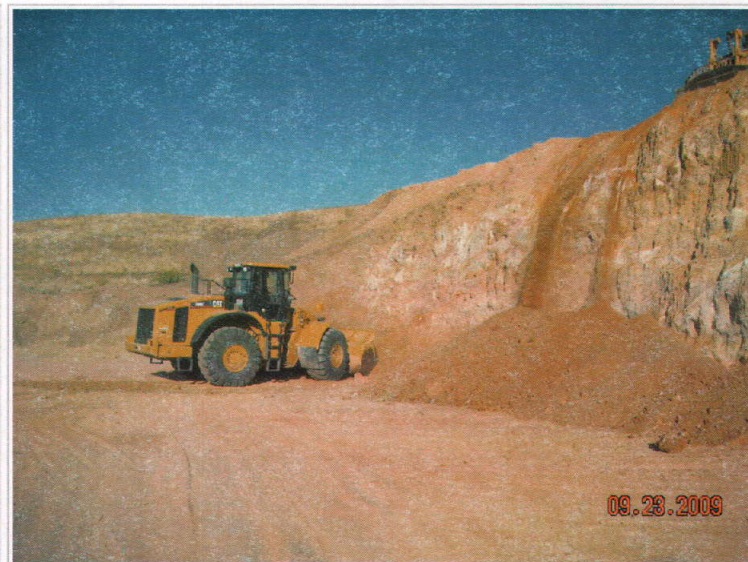
Extent of operations in September of 2009.



Mostly exempt sand and gravel alluvium material.



Hard-rock horizon requiring a mining permit.



Active operations in September of 2009.



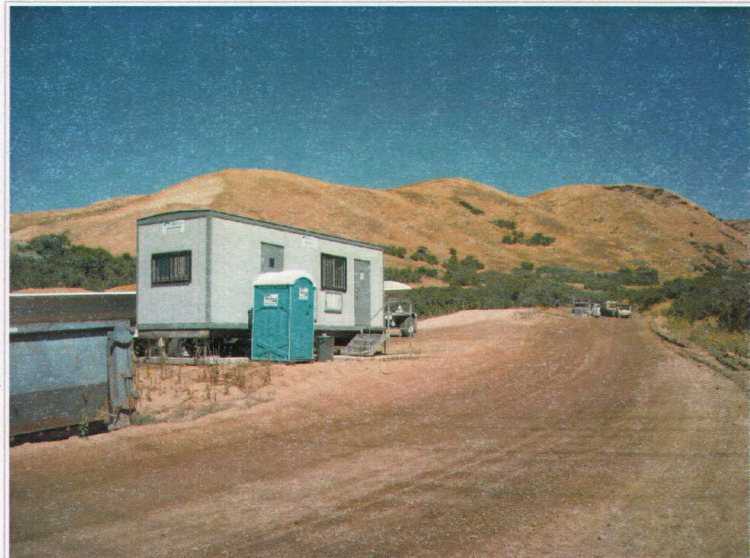
Much larger wall that is cutting into hard-rock.



Area that may pose an erosion stability problem.



Active mechanized equipment.



Weighing station while leaving the site.